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Response Due Date 05/14/2015

**IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: C00561811** 

REFERENCE: JULY QUARTERLY REPORT (07/01/2014 - 09/30/2014)

## Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. An adequate response must be received at the Senate Public Records Office by the response date noted above. Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action. Additional information is needed for the following 1 item(s):

1. Your calculations for loans on Schedule C are incorrect (Original Amount of Loan - Cumulative Payment to Date = Balance Outstanding at Close of This Period). (11 CFR § 104.3(d)) Please amend your report to correct the discrepancy for the attached loan.

If the loan in question represents a new loan incurred during this reporting period, please amend your report and itemized this new loan separately on Schedules A and C. The itemization on Schedule A must include the person's full name, mailing address and zip code, along with the name of his/her employer, his/her occupation, the date of the contribution/loan and the election cycle-to-date amount of contributions made by the person. Schedule C must include any endorser or guarantor of the loan, the date the loan was made and all other terms of the loan. If the loan is from the candidate, you must indicate whether it is from his/her personal funds, or was obtained by the candidate from a bank loan, brokerage account, credit card, home equity line of credit or other line of credit. (52 U.S.C. § 30104(b)(3)(E) (formerly 2 U.S.C. §434(b)(3) (E)) and 11 CFR § 104.3(a)(4)(iv))

- The incorrect type of report was selected on Line 4, Page 1 of the FEC Form 3. The reporting period of 7/1/14 - 9/30/14 represents the coverage dates of the October 15 Quarterly Report (Q3). Please check the correct box when